

**CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
END-OF-YEAR EXAMINATION 2006
PRIMARY TWO
ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

COMPOSITION

Name : _____ ()

Class: Primary Two _____

10 marks

45 minutes

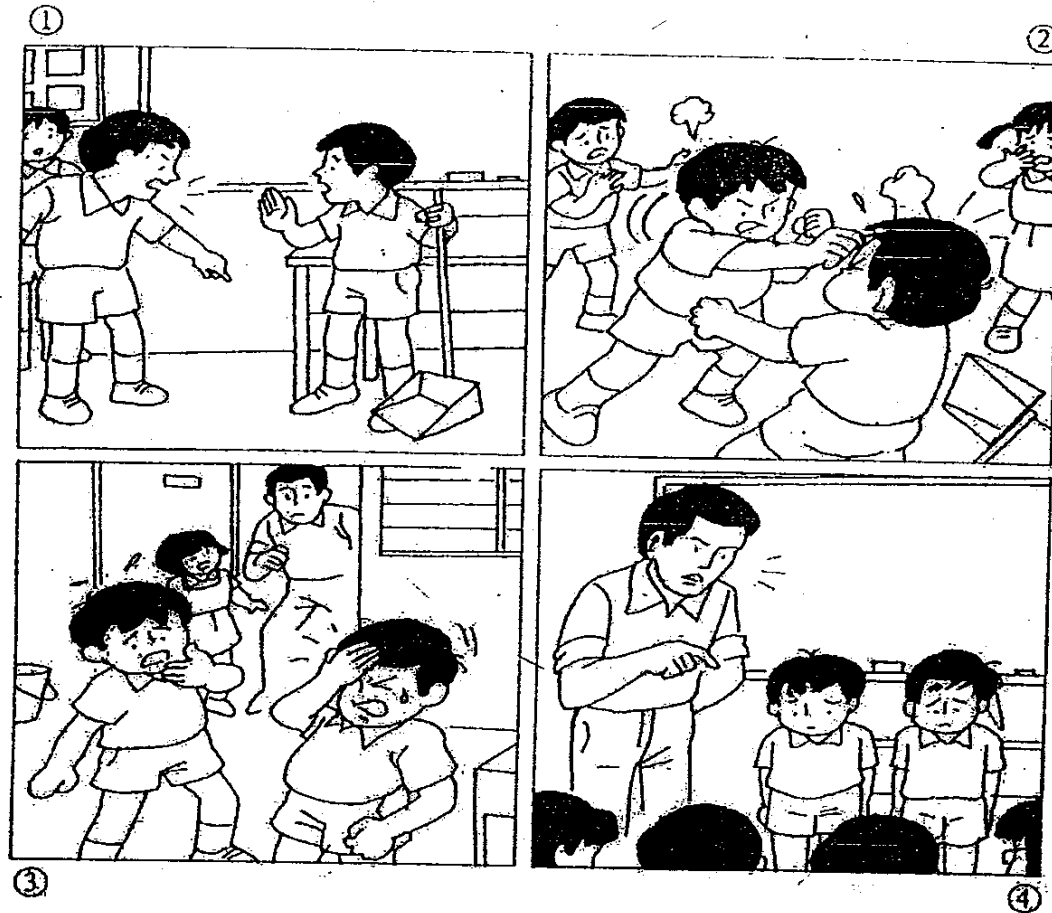
INSTRUCTIONS:

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Follow all instructions carefully.**

Parent's Signature: _____

PICTURE COMPOSITION (10 Marks)

Look at the series of pictures below carefully. Write a story about the pictures. Your story should have at least 60 words. You may use the words in the box to help you.



recess	duty	classroom	dustpan	fought
punched	hurt	frightened	alerted	reprimanded



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PAPER 2

Name: _____ ()

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**50 QUESTIONS
(55 MARKS)**

TOTAL TIME FOR BOOKLET: 1 HOUR

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Answer all the questions.

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Section A: Vocabulary – Part 1 (10 x 1 mark)

Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the bracket provided. **DO NOT FILL IN THE BLANK.**

1. The _____ of this tree spread out well to give us shade.

- (1) roots
- (2) trunk
- (3) fruits
- (4) branches

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2. The _____ are chugging loudly now. Can you hear them?

- (1) hens
- (2) birds
- (3) clocks
- (4) motorboats

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3. Some insects use colours to _____ themselves.

- (1) kill
- (2) attract
- (3) decorate
- (4) camouflage

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4. The owl _____ whenever it is hungry.

- (1) coos
- (2) brays
- (3) hoots
- (4) bleats

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5. After I fell down, my mother helped me to clean my _____

- (1) hurt
- (2) pain
- (3) wound
- (4) swelling

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6. The young of a tiger is called a _____

- (1) cub
- (2) calf
- (3) kitten
- (4) puppy

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7. Raymond was _____ when he was caught stealing.

- (1) proud
- (2) angry
- (3) happy
- (4) embarrassed

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8. The young gentleman _____ several times because he was very sleepy.

- (1) yelled
- (2) laughed
- (3) whistled
- (4) yawned

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9. I have to pick up little _____ of rice on the table.

- (1) bits
- (2) balls
- (3) grains
- (4) pieces

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10. The door of the old, rusty cupboard _____ when we opened it.

- (1) hissed
- (2) howled
- (3) creaked
- (4) rumbled

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Section B: Vocabulary – Part 2 (5 x 1 mark)

Fill in each blank with the most suitable word from the box.

USE EACH WORD ONCE ONLY.

bought	interest	remember	bookshop	read
thought	write	bank	hobby	brought

20 October 2006

16, Sin Ming Walk
#05-08
Bishan Park Condominium
Singapore 575571

Dear Julian,

I will not be visiting you because I am spending my holidays with my uncle. I read most of the time. My uncle was the first person (who taught) me how to (11) _____. I was only about five years old then. I still (12) _____ the time he (took me to the (13) _____ down the road and (14) _____ me a (story book) That (led to my) (15) _____ in books.

Have a great holiday!

Your friend,
Mark

Section C: Grammar – Part 1 (10 x 1 mark)

Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the bracket provided. **DO NOT FILL IN THE BLANK.**

16. Melvin is a bell boy and he _____ in a big hotel in Australia.
- (1) work
 - (2) works
 - (3) worked
 - (4) are working ()
17. Last Sunday, my parents decided to take us _____ the beach.
- (1) to
 - (2) into
 - (3) away
 - (4) towards ()
18. _____ is Susan writing the letter to ?
- (1) Who
 - (2) What
 - (3) When
 - (4) Whose ()
19. Of the two sisters, Sumeri is _____ in studies.
- (1) best
 - (2) good
 - (3) better
 - (4) smart ()

20. He was late for his flight _____ his car broke down.
(1) so
(2) but
(3) although
(4) because ()
21. Mrs Teng _____ to the news about the disaster in China when the telephone rang.
(1) listens
(2) listened
(3) has listened
(4) was listening ()
22. Judy and Joyce went to Bangkok for a holiday and they shared a hotel room. _____ hotel room was very spacious.
(1) We
(2) Her
(3) They
(4) Their ()
23. They _____ not complete the painting as it started to rain heavily.
(1) do
(2) did
(3) does
(4) are doing ()
24. The maid asked if there was _____ water left in that flask.
(1) any
(2) much
(3) some
(4) many ()

25. Huimin _____ a mice hiding behind the door just now.

- (1) see
- (2) saw
- (3) sees
- (4) seen

()

Section D: Grammar – Part 2 (10 x 1 mark)

Fill in each blank with the correct form of the word in the bracket.

26. Julie _____ (count) her coins every night before she sleeps.

27. Glen was afraid to _____ (show) his report card to his parents.

28. We _____ (be) very upset that the movie did not start on time.

29. She placed all the three _____ (knife) on the table.

30. I shall _____ (explain) the reasons for the mistake in the game.

31. Our class pupils were the _____ (confident) among all the participants.

32. He was punished in the _____ (principal) office yesterday.

33. Some tourists _____ (buy) some local cakes from the market now.

34. They looked across the fields and saw dozens of _____ (deer).

35. Last Monday, at the flag raising ceremony, Mr Wan _____ (speak) to us about discipline.

Section E: Comprehension - Part 1 (5 x 1 mark)

Look at the advertisement below on a film currently showing at the Sapphire Theatre. Answer the following questions. Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

DO NOT FILL IN THE BLANK.

Sapphire Theatre

(East Coast)

12th Day!!!

Hurry! Watch It Now!

The adventure of a lifetime...

THE T-RX



Call 63457723 to make your bookings.

You can reserve up to a maximum of 6 tickets.

Showtimes:

10 am, 1.30 pm, 4.30 pm, 8 pm, 11 pm

A MOVIE NOT TO BE MISSED!

36. What is the title of the film?
(1) Dinosaurs
(2) Dinosaur Lake
(3) Sapphire Theatre
(4) The Adventure of a Lifetime ()

37. How many shows are there in a day?
(1) 3 shows
(2) 5 shows
(3) 8 shows
(4) 12 shows ()

38. Reservations of tickets should not exceed _____
(1) 4
(2) 5
(3) 6
(4) 7 ()

39. Tom would like to watch the film before meeting his cousin for lunch at 1 pm. What showtime should Tom select?
(1) 10.00 am
(2) 1.30 pm
(3) 4.30 pm
(4) 8.00 pm ()

40. This is a/an _____
(1) romantic film
(2) soap opera
(3) horror film
(4) adventure film ()

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Section F: Comprehension - Part 2 (5 x 2 marks)

Read the passage carefully. Then answer the questions that follow in complete sentences.

One morning, as Ken was walking home from the park, he heard a strange, chirping sound from a nearby bush. He walked towards the bush and looked beneath it. He saw a tiny, newly-hatched baby bird lying helpless on the ground. Ken picked the bird up **carefully** and gently carried it home.

Ken's mother found a small container in the kitchen. Ken and his brother, Kyle gathered bits of straw and grass to put in the container so that the bird could be comfortable in the temporary nest. Then Ken's mother called Dr Don, the veterinarian. Dr Don said the baby bird had probably fallen out of its nest.

"It would be best," said Dr Don, "if the baby bird can be returned to its own nest."

Even though Ken loved the baby bird and wanted to keep it, he decided to go look for the bird's home. So Ken and Kyle took the baby bird back to the bush where Ken had found it. Just then, Kyle found a nest near the top of one bush. In it, there were two other baby birds!

So Ken very gently put the baby bird back in its nest. "I am sure its mother and siblings will be glad to have it back home!" he said.

41. Where did Ken find the baby bird?

42. Why did Ken pick the baby bird up *'carefully'*?

43. What was the temporary nest?

44. What had happened to the baby bird before Ken found it?

45. How is the baby bird related to the two other baby birds in the nest?

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Section G: Comprehension – Part 3**

Section G: Comprehension - Part 3 (5 x 1 mark)

Fill in each blank with the most suitable word. The first letter of each word has been given.

Steven spent his whole day packing. It was already midnight but

he had not fallen (46) a _____ yet. He was very excited

(47) b _____ his parents were taking him to England the

following day. Steven was so happy that he kept

(48) t _____ in bed, thinking about his holiday. He imagined

(49) h _____ on an aeroplane. It was only at two

o'clock in the morning that he finally (50) d _____ off.

END OF PAPER

Please check your work!

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Answer Sheets

Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5
4	4	4	3	3
Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
1	4	4	3	3
Q11	Q12	Q13	Q14	Q15
read	remember	bookshop	bought	interest
Q16	Q17	Q18	Q19	Q20
2	1	1	3	4

Q21	Q22	Q23	Q24	Q25
4	4	2	1	2
Q26	Q27	Q28	Q29	Q30
counts	show	were	knives	explain

Q31	Q32	Q33	Q34	Q35
most confident	principal's	are buying	deer	spoke

Q36	Q37	Q38	Q39	Q40
2	2	3	1	4

Q46	Q47	Q48	Q49	Q50
asleep	because	thinking	himself	dozed

41. Ken found the baby bird under a bush.
42. The baby bird was lying helpless on the ground and Ken did not want to hurt it.
43. It was a small container with bits of straw and grass.
44. The baby bird had fallen out of its nest.
45. They are the baby bird's siblings.